

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.

[illegible]

THE WEATHER.

DAILY BULLETIN.
U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles.
Dec. 2.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.19; at 4 p.m., 30.15. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 55; 5 p.m., 50. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 74 deg.; minimum temperature, 48 deg. Character of weather, clear.
Barometer reduced to sea level.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
WEATHER BUREAU, Reports received at Los Angeles, Cal., on Dec. 2, 1895. GEORGE E. FRANKLIN, Observer. Observations taken at all stations at 8 p.m., 75th meridian time.

Place of Observation.	Bar.	Ther.
Los Angeles, clear.	30.15	62
San Diego, partly cloudy.	30.12	63
San Luis Obispo, clear.	30.18	63
Fresno, partly cloudy.	30.18	63
San Francisco, cloudy.	30.26	50
Eureka, cloudy.	30.24	50
Portland, rain.	30.28	38

The Times

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

At San Pedro recently 1500 poles were landed. Lest the public should jump at the conclusion that San Pedro has become a port of entry for the country, the fact that "poles" is not spelled with a capital letter.

The State Supreme Court has decided in the case of a lineman who climbed a tree to clear the way for a wire, and who fell, injuring himself, that he must bear the burden of his own care. Judgment was brought upon him. The company, in such a case, the court holds, is not responsible.

Much has been said and sung about this climate of this angelic burg, but the pinnacle of loyalty was reached yesterday, when an enthusiastic citizen his wife on the nose and smashed the family thermometer because his better half found fault with the climate and sighed for her native snowdrifts.

Tyndall is explained, and now every one says, why didn't I think of that before? All he does is to put his cerebrum into a somnambulistic condition, and center his psychic power in his cerebellum, thus producing a condition of auto-entrancement which renders him peculiarly sensitive to the vibration of thought-waves which are launched into space and headed in his direction. It is as clear as mud, and that, covers the ground.

Somebody started a story about a man who turned in a fire alarm a day or two ago. The alarm box was on a street corner near a hydrant, and when he pulled the hook, before he could get away from the place the department had arrived and he was nearly knocked off his feet by the firemen who came to attach a hose. The fire companies sometimes make quick runs, but they have not as yet developed their talents for quickness quite up to that point.

An unexpected move was made by the anti-annexationists yesterday, when the point was made before the City Council that the fact of different sections of territory sought to be annexed, which sections are not, contiguous makes the calling of an election for each district necessary. Whatever strength there is in this point will, of course, be thoroughly tested by the city's legal department before any action in the matter is taken by the Council.

Pineapple culture in San Diego county is so successful that the State Horticultural Commissioners says the plants will be furnished to ranchers for the cost of the freight, providing a certain number of growers will undertake the cultivation of this luscious fruit. Riley R. Morrison is growing six-pound pineapples right along in the heart of San Diego city. His long series of experiments demonstrate conclusively that the cultivation of this fruit in Southern California is a practical, profitable possibility.

In an opinion rendered yesterday United States District Judge Wellborn held that seamen who engage for a voyage from one port to another and return, "via one or more ports of the Pacific Coast," are not under obligation to remain with the vessel, if it be sailed to points on the Coast outside the ports named as the terminal points. A voyage from San Francisco to Victoria, B. C., and return, could not be construed to include a side trip to San Diego, even though the clause above quoted might appear in the agreement.

A veteran successful Southern California banker says that he wholly disapproves the amendment to the banking law suggested by Comptroller Eckels, which provides that the Comptroller, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, be empowered to remove national bank officers for violation of laws and mismanagement. This banker regards it as dangerous to give such enormous powers to any two men in the national government. To his mind such a law would be contrary to the intent of the Constitution, and a direct step toward an increase of the power of the central government, such as the people of a free nation would not be inclined to tolerate.

The Board of Health of San Bernardino is emulating the example set by the Los Angeles Health Officer, by inaugurating a crusade against vendors of impure milk and manufacturers of bogus bologna sausage. An analysis of samples of the succulent bologna sold in the open market in San Bernardino, showed it to consist of 75 per cent. burned potatoes and 25 per cent. rotten meat, dipped in a patent substance called "smoking" to give it a smoky flavor. This pernicious adulteration of one of the staple articles of diet in San Bernardino cannot be too loudly decried. While the Board of Health is about it, it might carry its crusade further and see that the tamales sold in San Bernardino are not filled with substances that are inimical to life, health and the pursuit of happiness, as is alleged to be the case with many of the tamales manufactured in Los Angeles.

A Business Lot.

We have a client who wants to lease a lot convenient to business center for five years, to build upon. We also have a buyer for house convenient to car line, most any location, and to rent from \$200 to \$1200; and cash payment, and \$15 to \$25 a month and interest. Langworthy Co., No. 125 South Spring.

IN SOCIAL SPHERES.

The Monday Musicals Club was charmingly entertained yesterday afternoon, by Mrs. Elsie Macneil, at her home on a Figueroa street. The programme included much new music, and was rendered very delightfully. There was an overture, a piano duet by Miss Kent and Miss Cash, Mrs. Macneil gave two violin solos, a boat song and an accompanied amant by Mrs. Elsie Macneil and Mrs. A. C. Jones sang a duet by Donsett, Miss Hall of Pasadena gave two guitar numbers; Mrs. Roth Hamilton sang exquisitely a new lullaby by Crombs, with violin obligato by Mrs. Elsie Macneil; Miss Conger played a Chopin ballade, Mrs. Orr Haralson sang "Sleep, Baby, Sleep," with violin obligato by Mrs. Macneil; Miss Rogers played a "Moonlight Song," and a "Love Song" by Paderewski; Mrs. Scarborough and Mrs. Haralson sang a duet, and Mrs. Byrne, a pupil of Sherwood, gave a piano solo. Among the guests were: Mrs. John P. Jones, Gorman, Lester and Hamilton of Santa Monica; Mrs. O. S. A. Sprague of Chicago; Mrs. Gerald Fitzgerald of "Mr. Olivet," Duarte; Mrs. Cosmo Morgan, C. C. Carpenter, Van Nuy and Burdette.

NEEDLEWORK GUILD.
A number of women met yesterday afternoon at the call of Mrs. R. H. Herron, at her residence on West Twenty-third street, and organized the Los Angeles branch of the Needlework Guild of America, with Mrs. Herron as president, Mrs. Elsen as secretary, and Mrs. MacMillan as treasurer.

The headquarters of the guild are at Philadelphia, the honorary president is Mrs. Levi P. Morton, the general president, Mrs. J. W. Stewart of Glen Ridge, N. J., and the general treasurer, Mrs. J. H. B. Blythe of Philadelphia. The guild has been highly successful in Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, San Francisco and other places.

Some of the objects of the guild is to systematically collect new garments, and every six months to distribute them to hospital, asylums and homes. Each member pledges herself to give two new garments annually. The meetings are semi-annual, and are to be enlarged by each member endeavoring to organize sections, consisting of president, secretary, treasurer, and three directors; these officers in turn obliging themselves to enlist ten members.

The meetings will be held in April and November. Those present yesterday were: Mrs. MacMillan, Elsen, Burke, S. S. Salisbury, O'Brien, Peck, in honor of Mrs. Moore, Stewart, Shoemaker, Teed, Mercer, Allan and W. H. Stimson.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.
Prof. O. T. Phillips of the University of Southern California, will deliver a lecture on bacteria at the Elbell rooms on South Main street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

L. Himmelstern gave a theater party at the Burbank last Tuesday evening, followed by a supper at Hill's, in honor of his sister's marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Billmeyer gave a dinner to E. J. Daulton of Philadelphia. Covers were laid for seven, including Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porteo, Mr. and Mrs. J. Martin, S. J. Daulton, and Mrs. E. F. Billmeyer.

Mrs. George A. Caswell will give a reception tomorrow afternoon at the Blanchard-Pittsburgh Ball.

Miss B. Lorentz left yesterday with her sister, Mrs. Kaufmann, for San Jacinto.

Miss Anna McCabe, a well-known contralto in Chicago musical circles, is in the city for the winter with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Donegan, No. 325 Runkler Hill avenue.

MYSTIC TYNDALL'S DRIVE.
An Unusual Test and Result not Entirely Satisfactory.
The drive made by J. McIvor Tyndall yesterday from the Ramona Hotel was not a complete success, owing, probably, to the fact that a more difficult test than usual was planned by the committee.

Fred Bell, who had threatened to explain away all the mystery of Tyndall's proposed route to drive over the same route. This plan was adopted. The committee in charge of the test, consisting of H. F. Knight and E. E. Van Dyke, guests at the Ramona, Fred Bell and one representative each from the Times and Herald, entered the carriage and drove as follows: North on Spring street from the Ramona, to Court, to Main, to Commercial, to Los Angeles, to Winston, to Main, to Fourth, to Broadway, to Third, to Hill, to Fifth, to Spring, and to the Ramona.

When the start was made by Tyndall from the Ramona he was blindfolded and drove and whipped the team with his right hand, while he held the left hand of the Herald man with his left hand.

Up Spring the trip was made in safety, but the driver did not turn into Court. He continued a half block further and turned into Market. Main was reached in this way, and the drive was over the route chosen by the committee till Third street was reached. Here the driver turned and drove to Main, to Second, to Spring and to the Ramona.

Mr. Tyndall explained his failure to drive over the route with the statement that he had followed the thoughts of the Herald man, and that, as the Times man had picked out the route, the test was not exactly a fair deal.

TYNDALL AND BELL.
Last evening, Music Hall was fairly well filled with curiosity-seekers eager to see and hear the coming contest between Tyndall, the mystic, and "Prof." Fred Bell, a lecturer on spiritualism. Fred Bell, a lecturer on spiritualism, who has excited a good deal of feeling between the warring factions of spiritualists here in Los Angeles.

It was announced that Tyndall's methods would be "exposed" by Bell, but the two had been so impressed with each other's abilities that they constituted themselves a mutual admiration society, and severally touted each other's horns instead of engaging in a spiritual combat.

Tyndall made the introductory flourish, and welcomed Bell with a handshake fairly dripping with brotherly love. Bell then took the floor, and asked the audience to appoint a committee of ten to conduct the tests. Messrs. Wilson, Perry, Jones, Johnson, Arms, Enner, Ellis, Davidson, Green and Arnold, were called upon and took seats upon the platform.

Tyndall then gave three of his stock tests as subjects for the coming explanation. Finding a woman in the audience, and giving her a rose, locating a pin and pinhole, and discovering an imaginary murderer.

ABOVE PAR

Hotel del Coronado



Crowns All.

Rates, Booklets, etc. at
CORONADO AGENCY,
No. 129 N. Spring St. Los Angeles.
H. F. NICHOLSON, Agent.

Tyndall's being buried alive, declaring it to be quite possible, through the same process of inwardly focalizing all the outward sense, and forcing all bodily senses into complete subjection to the mind. Occultism, he declared, was nothing more than will power. Tyndall accepted this explanation of his powers, and announced that in a few days he would give a definite answer to the request that his burial test be given here in Los Angeles, his resurrection to take place in thirty days. As yet, his mind was not quite made up.

The meeting closed with a few more of the stock tests, just by way of illustrating the explanation.

"THE LADIES' HERALD."
Some Vexatious Incidents Connected With that Paper.

The ladies who engineered the Thanksgiving number of the Herald have been greatly vexed by some incidents in connection with the venture and which can be, as far as they are concerned, attributed solely to lack of experience necessary in the making of a newspaper. One of the provoking things that occurred was that matter of the Pasadena letter, regarding which an item has been printed in this paper. Referring to that article, which did not contain anything derogatory to the Free Kindergarten Association, Mrs. Blanche Wotkyns, manager of the Kindergarten Association, writes: "The Times to explain that the contributions in Pasadena to pay the \$25 which was to be the price of a paid letter 'writing' of that city were solicited in good faith, the letter was written according to contract, but at 3 a.m. of the day when the Ladies' Herald appeared there was a rumor that the letter was in the paper. Mrs. Wotkyns says that the money which had been paid was proffered back to the Pasadena business men, but they generously refused to accept it, preferring that it should be considered as a donation."

The difficulties encountered by the managers of the Thanksgiving Herald are evanescent and fleeting as a day dream, compared to the perplexities besetting the path of the managers of the regular issue of that paper, who are charged with getting more than their share of the proceeds of the Thanksgiving number. Those whose cash aided in the financial, if not journalistic, success aver that for the occasion the current transient advertising rates were quadrupled by the Herald company's manager and then divided half and half with the Kindergarten Association. This would leave the Herald so much profit in the issue that it might be willing to "give away" its editions to charitable organizations every day in the year.

Fire from a Lamp.
A lamp was accidentally overturned at the fruit store of N. P. Chronis & Co., at No. 268 West Third street, at 10:30 o'clock last night. Flames were started and a telephone alarm was turned in, to which one or two of the fire companies responded. The damage was slight, amounting to probably about \$10.

AFTER THE RAIN.
The roses breathe to me today
A song I love to hear.
And oh, how sweetly
And fill my spirit's ear.

The sky above us leans in light
That floods the world with gold.
And all the whispering breezes pass
With traces manifold.

The grand old mountains mantled are
With colors wondrous fair.
Like some ethereal visitants
Formed of the light and air.

Out of the rose's heart the bee,
With wings of silken gold,
Comes buzzing on the sunbeam's sea
To bask within its fold.

So warm, so liquid soft it lies,
The pulsing heart of love,
It seems as Love lay breathing low
Within its bosom fair.

And something in the soul of day
Seems kindred unto mine,
While beauty leans from leaf and tree
In forms that are divine.

Heaven's threshold is not very far
Beyond such days as this,
And angels hidden in the light
Oft touch our hands, I wis.

December 2, 1895.
ELIZA A. OTIS.

REDLANDS, ROUND TRIP \$4.75.
Southern Pacific's Orange Belt line, December 3 and 4, tickets good returning until 5th. National rate meet. Opening of new track. Leave Arcade Depot 8, 10:15 a.m.; 2:30, 4:30 p.m.

Calling Cards,
Invitations, Monograms, Crests, etc. Hurd's
fine papers.
THE CENTURY ENGRAVING CO.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair,
Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR.
The Century Engraving Co.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

MADE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER

Most Perfect Made.
With the Standard.

THE CENTURY ENGRAVING CO.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

THE CENTURY ENGRAVING CO.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

THE CENTURY ENGRAVING CO.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

THE CENTURY ENGRAVING CO.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

THE CENTURY ENGRAVING CO.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

THE CENTURY ENGRAVING CO.,
No. 38 South Spring street.

BOSTON DRY GOODS STORE

239 South Broadway
Opposite City Hall

Umbrellas.

We have every reason to expect plenty rain during the next three months. Are you provided with rainy weather wants? We hope to have sunshine as well, and have provided for your requirements in either case. You might be thinking of holiday gifts. Our Christmas line is here, and is very complete; we suggest that you look these over the next time you are in the store.

Ladies' 26 in.—Steel Rods—Pure Silk—
Natural wood handles,
at..... **\$2.50**

Ladies' Best Silk—Steel Rods—26 inch—
Old Ivory Finish Handles,
at..... **\$4.25**

Ladies' All Silk—26 inch—Steel Rods—
Real Carved Ivory Handles,
at..... **\$7.50**

Ladies' Finest Silk—Steel Rods—26 in.—
Natural Wood Handles—sterling silver trimmed,
at..... **\$6.50**

Gents' All Silk—28 inch—Steel Rods—
Old Ivory Finish,
at..... **\$5.00**

Gents' 28 inch—Fine Silk—Steel Rod—
Sterling silver mounted handles,
at..... **\$7.00**

Gents'—Self Raising—28 in.—All Silk—
Natural Wood Handles—A practical novelty,
at..... **\$6.00**

Carriage Shades in great variety for the holidays.

BOSTON DRY GOODS STORE

Not the Same.

You can get flooring and clothing at any price, but not oak at the price of hemlock or silk at the price of cotton. Paint with the beauty of silk and the endurance of oak—Harrison's Town and Country Paint.

P. H. MATHEWS, N.E. cor. Main and Second sts.

When Others Fail Consult DR. LIEBIG & CO

No. 123 SOUTH MAIN STREET.
The Old Dispensary on the Coast. Established twenty-five years. PRIVATE DISCASES OF MEN A SPECIALTY.

Not a dollar need be paid UNTIL CURED.

We cure the worst cases of CATARRH in two to three months. Special Surgeon from San Francisco Dispensary in constant attendance. Examinations with microscope, including analysis. FREE TO EVERYBODY. The poor treated free from 10 to 12 Friday.

Our long experience enables us to treat the worst case of venereal disease with ABSOLUTE CERTAINTY OF SUCCESS. No matter what your trouble is, come and talk with us. You will not regret it.

123 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

KING OF SOAP

Buy it, try it, and you will us no other.

NILES PEASE,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
FURNITURE,
Carpets.....
337-339-341
South Spring St.

BANNING CO.,
222 SOUTH SPRING STREET
LOS ANGELES.

Hand-picked, Southfield Wellington Lump Coal, \$11 per ton, delivered Cement and Catalina Island Soapstone.

Agents for SANTA CATALINA ISLAND also for W. T. CO.'S Ocean Excursion Steamers, and TUGS, YACHTS and PIERS.

Pa. Dental Co.
Is making a big run on plates. Now is the time to get a good plate for \$5.

For Ice Machines.
Cold Storage and all kinds of Refrigeration. Call or address THE HISE SANITARY REFRIGERATOR CO., Fairchild & Corvett, Coast Agents, 248 South Spring.

Teeth Extracted
POSITIVELY AND ABSOLUTELY Without Pain.

Nothing inhaled—No gas, no chloroform, no ether, and above all, no cocaine used, which is dangerous. From one to a full set of teeth extracted at a sitting without a particle of pain, danger or bad effects making the task one of pleasure, rather than one of dread. The only safe method for elderly people and persons in delicate health. You do not have to "take some thing and run the risk."

Only 50c. a Tooth.
SCHIFFMAN METHOD DENTAL CO.
Rooms, 22-23-24-25-26, Schumacher Block,
107 North Spring street

Fresh Literature.
A Few of the Very Latest.
Domesticated Animals, by Nathaniel Shaler.....\$2.50
The Track of a Storm, by Owen Hall.....\$1.25
The Little Room and other stories, by Madeline Yale Wynne.....\$1.25
Amos Judd, by J. A. Mitchell (editor of Life).....75c

Our stock of new books is very complete. Come and look it over.
Stoll & Thayer Co. Booksellers and Stationers,
139 S. Spring St.
Open Evenings.

Christmas Headquarters
Having a big holiday rush already. Great run in Boys' Department. All the boys getting choice of a toy music "Metallaphone" or a picture book. Suits and Overcoats at popular prices to fit all the little fellows. Big supply, big demand for the Knee-pant Combination Suit at \$3.50. Our store is undoubtedly

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

J. T. SHEWARD

113-115 North Spring St.

Extra long fluffy Feather Boas. A late arrival. Today for the first, to close them quickly, the price will be \$1.00. A little better ones, no better looking, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Eiderdown Flannels, for children's cloaks. We make the Tam O'Shanter to match. Eiderdowns are very largely used for House Sacques, Dressing Gowns, Bath Robes, Slumber Robes. We are showing nearly 50 different patterns and colorings of these very popular goods.

Imitation Scotch Flannels, 20c and 25c a yard. They have the weight, and, if anything, are better styles than the genuine goods. Less than one-half the price.

Imitation French Flannels. Nothing more choice in this house for Morning Gowns, Smoking Jackets, House and Slumber Robes and for Children's use. The price 20c and 25c a yard.

Growing less. The Plaid goods will be a thing of the past in a very few days, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, \$1.00 a yard. No more plaid can be had until February. They are having a very large sale. Boucles for dress goods and cloaks. Every lady who has seen our assortment says it is the very largest in the city. The prices are certainly the lowest. Twenty styles for Capes and Cloaks. We cut, fit and baste Capes free. We have all colors and a splendid line of fancy mixtures.

Black and Navy Boucles for Dresses. Some have the pure Mohair loops; will not pull and fray like silk; they stand out much better, and will wear more than twice as long.

Black Camel's Hair, imported. The genuine goods. Several grades to choose from.

Fifty-inch All-wool Cloakings, in about twenty patterns. The price has been \$1.50, now \$1.00. A mistake was made in buying these goods for cloakings. More suitable for tailor-made dresses and for Ladies' Capes. The price will ease up our mistake. Capes cut, fitted and basted free in the bargain.

A world of new things for Christmas. Buy while the assortment is large.

Newberry's

Mince Meat.
Have you made your Mince Meat for Christmas? If not, you had better do so at once. Remember, you can get everything in that line of us and of the finest quality.

Fancy Citron.....12 1/2c per lb
Fancy Washed Currants.....10c per lb
Fancy Citron.....25c per lb
Good Citron.....20c per lb

Fancy Orange Peel.....25c per lb
Fancy Lemon Peel.....25c per lb
Fancy Mixed Peel, 1 lb. cartons.....25c
Fancy Imported Sultana Raisins.....25c per lb
Fancy California Sultana Raisins, 3 lbs for.....\$1.00
Bottled Cider, per gallon.....50c

Sweet Cider, per gallon.....50c
216-218 South Spring Street.

Mullen, Bluett & Co.

Having a big holiday rush already. Great run in Boys' Department. All the boys getting choice of a toy music "Metallaphone" or a picture book. Suits and Overcoats at popular prices to fit all the little fellows. Big supply, big demand for the Knee-pant Combination Suit at \$3.50. Our store is undoubtedly

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

Christmas Headquarters

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209 W. First St.

101 N. Spring St.,
201-203-205-207-209

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

A NOVEL POINT RAISED BY THE ANTI-ANNEXATIONISTS.

New Street-sweeping Bids will be Advertised for by the City Council.

Trist of Edward Rangd Commenced in Judge Shaw's Court—Dick Woods Pleads Not Guilty.

Legality of the Grand Jury Called in Question—Report of the County Officers—Trial of Catherine Smith Again Goes Over.

The Council yesterday decided to reject all the street-sweeping bids received, and advertise for new proposals, upon different specifications. The Land Committee's report on the annexation-election petition was referred to the City Attorney for the settlement of a legal point brought up by the anti-annexationists yesterday. The ordinances dismissing the janitor of the old City Hall and reducing the salary of the patrol-wagon driver from \$80 to \$60 a month were "filed" by the Council yesterday.

Yesterday was very busy, even for law and motion day, at the Courthouse, and the building was swarming with lawyers during the morning session. The trial of Edward Rangd was commenced in Judge Shaw's court. No other trial of much importance was in progress. The Supervisors were in session, but simply appearing demands. The grand jury will appear today in Department One.

AT THE CITY HALL.

CITY COUNCIL.

Municipal Steamers Back Down on the Retrenchment Policy.

The Council yesterday executed a graceful "back somersault" in the recently-begun retrenchment policy, and to use a current slang expression, "caved completely down" the bank of the proposition to save the city all the money possible.

A week or two ago several of the Councilmen awoke to the fact that expenditures have gone far ahead of the receipts in the new year. The City Engineer, who is the government, and it was accordingly announced that "retrenchment" must be the watchword all along the line. The City Engineer, who is the government, and it was accordingly announced that "retrenchment" must be the watchword all along the line.

This was a glorious beginning, but no sooner was the motion of President Reed adopted than the news spread to the police headquarters, and in a very few minutes the janitor and driver affected by the new policy were interviewed by the Councilmen, and later on moved mightily to reverse the action by which their wage was reduced.

The janitor is reported to be a constituent of Councilman Blanchard, and that was a lever to begin on. Councilman Blanchard was persuaded to commence a crusade against the reckless and indiscriminate dismissal of old and tried employees, and the wires were pulled to have the janitor reinstated. By some influence the matter was referred to the Finance Committee of the Council after the ordinances were prepared by the City Attorney, and Councilman Blanchard is a member of that committee. It was not much of a surprise when the following recommendation was read yesterday by the clerk from the committee:

"In the matter of the ordinance reducing the salary of the patrol driver from \$80 per month and dispensing with the janitor at the Police Station, we recommend that the same be filed."

This was considered a deliberate "backdown" from the stand taken by several of the Councilmen, and it was thought that the committee's recommendation would read "approved" by the Council. But not so. None of the Councilmen so much as "peeped" when the question came up, and the report went through without dissenting voice. With this action the play of the Councilmen, in the matter of retrenchment, was closed.

The Finance Committee reported on other matters as follows:

Recommend that the report of the City Auditor on the condition of the funds for week ending November 23, 1895, be filed.

Recommend petitions from J. W. Giffen, O. M. Cray, and E. E. Giffen, be referred to the City Assessor to report to this committee as to the statements therein contained.

In the matter of petition from R. Maloney, asking that tax sale certificates Nos. 864 and 865 for the year 1888-89, to be found in Volume 10, Sales at pages 227 and 228, be cancelled upon the ground that the property therein covered is doubly assessed for said year and the taxes hereof paid, the City Assessor having reported to this committee that the statements therein contained are correct, we recommend that the petition be granted, and the City Clerk instructed to mark said tax-sale certificates Nos. 864 and 865 for the year 1888-89, cancelled and redeemed of record."

THE DOWNFALL OF BAUER.

A fat person, red-faced, "shock-haired," and bull-necked, with a shuffling gait and a "loud" suit of clothes, paced up and down in the lobby of the Council chamber yesterday morning, and watched with a stolid face, the progress of the routine business that was being transacted by the Council. The person in question was none other than Theodore Bauer, known as the "King of the Mace," who has haunted the City Hall, at intervals, since his liquor license on Alameda street was revoked by the Police Commission. He evidently wished to hear the following report which Secretary Parker of the Police Commission dispatched yesterday to the Council:

"I am directed by the Board of Police Commissioners to inform you that every effort will be made to carry out your request as to the removal of houses of ill-fame from Alameda street; that the saloon license of Theodore Bauer, on the east side of Alameda street, has been revoked, and in the matter of the objectionable 'nec,' to request you to refer the same to the City Engineer and Police Commission."

He heard the report read and listened to the formal words of the president, "the communication will be filed," without changing a muscle of his face. He seemed to understand that his fate was fixed (for the present) and had nothing to say. When the Council adjourned, however, the big Frenchman corralled President Teed, in the committee-room, and talked long and lustily of the injustice done him in the summary revocation of his liquor license. He received small comfort, however, from President Teed, and departed from the City Hall a sadder but not a wiser man.

MISCELLANEOUS COUNCIL DOINGS.

The Mayor returned without his approval the ordinance of intention to improve Golden Avenue, between Eighth and Ninth streets, for the reason that

the grade on the street had not been established when the ordinance was passed. The vote by which the ordinance was approved was reconsidered, and the Council now having jurisdiction placed the ordinance on its final passage.

The Mayor also returned without his approval the ordinance of intention to improve Fifteenth street, between Grand and Hill streets, for the reason that the grade for this portion of Fifteenth street had not been changed when the ordinance was passed. The vote by which the ordinance was approved was reconsidered and the ordinance referred to the Board of Public Works.

The City Engineer reported that the cost and expense of other grading and improving of Bellevue Avenue from Buena Vista street to Broadway Avenue will be \$4653.20. The report was referred to the committee having in charge the change of grade on the street.

The matter of changing the specifications for the new City Jail, so as to construct the buildings' front of sandstone instead of granite, was discussed in the Council, and referred to the Building Committee for investigation. The reports of the Board of Public Works, and the Sewer Committee, as already published, were received and adopted.

The Chief of Police reported that acting under the Council's instructions, he has endeavored to obtain additional quarters for the prisoners now quartered in the City Jail. A building was leased on Commercial near Alameda street, but the owner of the building has withdrawn from his lease, and the Chief accordingly reports his inability to find suitable quarters. The matter was referred to the Building Committee.

OPENING OF BIDS.

The following proposals were received, examined, and declared, as follows:

To sidewalk Hill street from the north line of Sand street to the south line of Rock street. Gray Bros., \$1.25 per lineal foot. Which proposal was referred to the Board of Public Works.

To improve Pennsylvania Avenue from the west line of Bailey street to the east line of Michigan Avenue. Stransburg & Moore proposed; grading and graveling, \$2.39 per lineal foot; curb and gutter, \$1.33 per lineal foot. Which proposal was referred to the Board of Public Works.

To sewer Sixteenth street from intersection of Sixteenth and Hope streets, to a point 18 feet west of the west line of Grand Avenue. S. J. Edwards proposed; the sum of 13 cents per lineal foot. Which proposal was referred to the Board of Public Works.

To sewer Sixteenth street from intersection of Sixteenth and Peru streets, to a point in the center line of Sixteenth street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

To sewer Main street, Workman street, Putnam street, and Mission road, from the intersection of Main street and Mission road, to a point in the center line of Main street, 100 feet east of east line of San Pedro street. Hyland & Cordell proposed; the sum of 75 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; R. B. Farmer & Co., proposed for the sum of 66 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. B. Hughes proposed for the sum of 38 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; French & Reed, proposed for the sum of 84 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; J. H. Dockweiler proposed for the sum of 106 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; F. B. Lorenz, proposed for the sum of 108 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete; Frick Bros., proposed for the sum of 94 cents per lineal foot, for sewer complete.

Referred to the Sewer Committee.

Seventh streets, Eleventh and Pearl streets. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

Also that all the former proceedings to build a sidewalk six feet wide on the west side of Hill street, from the south line of Hill street to the north line of Hill street, be abandoned as the sidewalk is built. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that Mateo street be graded, sidewalk be constructed and curbed with redwood between Palmetto and LeGrand streets. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

Also that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

Also that a crosswalk be placed across Temple street at the intersection of Temple street and the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

By Councilman Ashman, that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair Lake Shore Avenue between First street and Court street, so as to protect the flume leading from Echo Park to Westlake Park. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

By Councilman Snyder, that the proceedings for sidewalking the east side of Hill street between Sand and Rock streets be abandoned as the sidewalk is all in. Adopted.

to property-owners to construct a public

return in Cottage Home place for an ordinance granting a franchise for electrifying a certain street railroad petitioned for by Mrs. Jesurum. I have made a few changes in the draft as referred to me, the most important being that it is made one of the conditions of the franchise that the certain number of days the grantee shall pave all that portion of Fifth street between Maple and San Pedro streets which lies between the rails and for two feet on each side thereof, with the same material and in like manner as the rest of the street is already paved. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

"In the matter of drawing a lease for Charles W. Duffie for certain city land; it was reported by the City Engineer that the lease for the use of this land unless some better description is furnished me, either by Mr. Duffie or by the City Engineer's office. Referred to the Land Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

CITY ATTORNEY.

CITY ENGINEER'S REPORT.

The City Engineer reported as follows:

"New specifications for the construction of cement curbs and cement walks." Referred to the Board of Public Works.

"Final ordinance establishing the grade of Twentieth street from Figueroa street to Grand Avenue." Adopted.

"Final ordinance establishing the grade of Marion Avenue from Bellevue Avenue to Kensington Road." Adopted.

"Final ordinance establishing the grade of Fourth street from Tennessee Street to Alameda street." Adopted.

"Final ordinance establishing the grade of Newton street from Tennessee Street to Alameda street." Adopted.

"Petition from Jose Macasari et al., representing a minority, I present herewith ordinance of intention to change and establish the grade of the east side of Buena Vista street from a point 100 feet north of Rock street." Adopted.

"In reference to taking care of the storm water at Echo Park, we would recommend that two additional 12-inch cement pipes be laid, adjoining those already laid." Referred to Councilman Snyder.

"Petition from J. Tilley et al., representing the required majority, I present herewith ordinance of intention to change and establish the grade of the west side of Third street from Alameda street to the west line of the Bigelow tract." Adopted.

"In the matter of petition from A. H. Blair et al., I have to report that said petition asking for improvements on Catalina street does not represent the required majority. Rejected.

"Ordinance of intention to improve Overthrust street from Tenth street to Ninth street, said improvement to be made under the bond and authority of the Board of Public Works, and to the probable cost of said work per front foot on each side of said street, amounting to \$1.25 per front foot." Adopted.

"Ordinance of intention to construct a sewer on Fourth street from San Pedro street to Omar Avenue, and on Omar Avenue from the intersection of Fourth street to the northwest corner of lot 21, block 6 of the Wolfskill Orchard tract." Adopted.

"Ordinance of intention to improve Cummings street from Michigan Avenue to Brooklyn, said improvement to be made under the bond and authority of the Board of Public Works, and to the probable cost of said work per front foot on each side of said street, amounting to \$1.25 per front foot." Adopted.

"The Council then adjourned to meet on Wednesday at 10 o'clock.

Intercollegiate Sports.

The adjourned meeting of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association was held yesterday at Y.M.C.A. Hall, William Edgar McKee, president of the association, presided. F. B. Braden, delegate from Chaffey College, was appointed secretary pro tem. In the absence of E. H. Smith of Pomona College, secretary.

The first field day to be held on February 22, which is the climax of every student's zeal and enthusiasm, was put under the sole management of the president of the association. He was given full power to act.

It was decided to have a tandem race for the two bicycle races. A time limit of 2:40 was put on the mile bicycle race, and 5:20 on the two mile bicycle race.

Designs of the medals for the events were submitted, but were left over for a future meeting.

The "Adieu" Did It.

Mrs. E. A. Clark, wife of Humane Officer Clark, had the misfortune to lose her purse, containing \$19.25, Sunday afternoon. She inserted a "lost ad" in the Times Monday morning. Yesterday evening a young man came to her house and returned the property. Not a cent was asked for the find. She found it on Second street near Hill, where Mrs. Clark had dropped it. The finder was given a reward of a few dollars, and went on his way, but no more than Mrs. Clark. The young man was too modest to give his name.

Poles for Electric Lines.

F. H. Folsom of Everett, Wash., has completed the unloading of thirty carloads of electric poles from the steamer Corona, at San Pedro. There are about fifteen hundred poles in the lot. Twenty of the poles are for the new electric line to Santa Monica and ten for the consolidated system, soon to be electrified. Mr. Folsom returned to Everett last night, and will bring 2000 more poles down in January.

Pleads Former Jeopardy.

Dick Woods, the pugnaucious individual who smothered the jaw of George Hopkins at Redondo yesterday, pleaded former jeopardy yesterday to plead to the charge of mayhem.

Woods pleaded not guilty, and started the contest in the District Attorney's office, by stating that he had been tried in the Justice Court at Redondo for the same offense, convicted, and fined \$10. This was a case of a "double jeopardy," and the information charging Woods with mayhem had been issued without knowledge of his prior conviction on the charge of battery with regard to the identical act for which he is now held.

The case was set for trial, as the District Attorney was not quite clear in his mind as to whether battery could or could not be included in the charge of mayhem, and in the probability, it will come up only to be dismissed.

Ranged on Trial.

The trial of Edward Rangd for the rape of Adrienne Pature, going on yesterday before Judge Shaw. The girl was put on the stand and told her story, which was substantially the same as that published at the time of Rangd's arrest. Unfortunately, the door of the Superior Court cannot be closed in a case like this, and the room was filled with eager listeners, principally Frenchmen. The trial will be resumed today.

SHE MAY STAY.

JUDGE WELLBORN ORDERS CHUNG SHEE RELEASED.

Held to be lawfully in the country, but there may be an appeal.

Decision of an Admiralty Case Involving Payment of Seamen's Wages.

Two Chinamen Who Landed Claiming to be Merchants, but Who Were Found to be Laborers, Ordered Deported.

Some important cases were decided in the United States District Court yesterday. Chung Shee, the Chinese woman alleged to be unlawfully in the country, was, in a decision by Judge Wellborn, ordered released from custody. The case will probably be appealed. An opinion was handed down in an admiralty case involving payment of seamen's wages. Two Chinamen claiming to be merchants, but who were found working on a ranch, were ordered deported.

CHUNG SHEE CAN STAY.

Chung Shee, the Chinese woman whose case has attracted a good deal of attention, may stay in this country. That is the opinion of Judge Wellborn as handed down yesterday. One of the features of the case which have developed in the proceedings is the fact that when she was ordered deported from San Francisco two years ago, she actually was deported as a Chinese woman, and not as a Chinese merchant, as she claimed to be. It appears that she came to San Francisco by steamship in 1893, claiming to be the wife of a Chinese merchant. She was denied admission, and in an examination of her case which followed, she swore that she had one child. The Chinaman who claimed to be her husband, swore to their having had a child, but he testified it was of one sex while she testified it was of the other. The fraud was thus exposed. Mr. Riordan, who was her attorney, withdrew from the case.

The woman was ordered deported, and the United States Marshal was directed to make return, certifying that on August 10, 1893, he placed her aboard the steamer Rio de Janeiro bound for Hong-Kong.

It seems that the woman went on the vessel and on January 30, 1894, arrived by steamer at Portland, Or. The collector of the port refused to allow her to land, and she was taken before Judge Bellinger of the United States District Court of the Oregon district on habeas corpus proceedings. She then claimed that her name was Lum Lin Ying, and that she was the wife of Chung Chew, a merchant of Portland. The writ of habeas corpus was issued as applied for and she was permitted to land.

About four or five months thereafter she and her alleged husband came to Los Angeles, where she has been since that time. Her husband died in October, 1894.

Judge Wellborn holds that the defendant is the same person that was deported from San Francisco in 1893. The opinion holds that the judgment of the District Court of Oregon was conclusive of the present case. Authorities are cited to show that it is only where the prisoner is remanded that the decision of the court is not final, but that in cases of this kind where the prisoner has been discharged the decision is final.

It is further remarked that an argument of the government is that the decision of a collector denying an alien admission to this country is similar to an order upon preliminary examination discharging or committing a person accused of crime. The argument of the collector is to support, and it is remarked: "I would say here, in reply to the government, that under the Chinese exclusion act, I think the decision of the collector of Customs is not final, but that the truth of the matter may be determined on habeas corpus or in a proceeding against such person for being unlawfully in the country. This rule, however, has been so changed by act of Congress that now the decision of the collector of Customs, if adverse to the alien, is final, unless reviewed on appeal by the Secretary of the Treasury."

Continuing, the opinion says: "In opposition to the government, the defendant argues in favor of the defendant the government further contends that the refusal of our government to allow admission to a person to remain in this country is an exercise of political power, and, therefore, the doctrine of res adjudicata does not apply to the determination of any of the officers or tribunals under and pursuant to exclusion acts of Congress. This contention does not seem to me to be well founded. While it is true that the exclusion of foreigners is an exercise of political sovereignty, yet where a general law has been passed for that purpose, the application of it to individual cases is essentially a judicial function, and I can see no reason why the principal of res adjudicata should not be applied."

After touching on some of the minor points involved, the opinion says: "The government, however, insists that the Oregon judgment was obtained through fraud, and is, therefore, open to collateral attack, and cites to this point, among other cases, United States vs. Throckmorton (98 U. S. 61-67; 25, 92). I cannot so hold. If fraud was practiced upon the court, it consisted wholly in the introduction of false testimony, and it is well settled that this is no ground for vacating a judgment. In support of this declaration an authority is cited, which, in part, says: 'That the mischief of retrying every case in which the judgment or decree rendered on false testimony given by perjured witnesses, or on contracts or documents whose genuineness or validity was in issue, and which are afterward ascertained to be forged or fraudulent, would be greater, by reason of the strife, than any compensation arising from doing justice in individual cases.'"

Concluding, the opinion says: "Recognizing and applying the principle enunciated in the foregoing extracts from the United States vs. Throckmorton, supra, I cannot do otherwise than hold that no such fraud has been shown in the present case as invalidates the judgment of the Oregon court. Whether that court was misled by false testimony, or erred in its conclusions of law, are questions not here open to inquiry. It is to be presumed, in favor of its judgment, that the evidence required by law, as to the right of the defendant to come into the United States was adduced upon the hearing. That judgment cannot be collaterally assailed in this proceeding, and must be held to establish the lawfulness of the defendant's residence in the United States. The judgment and order of the court are reversed, and the defendant discharged."

A stay of execution of the order for the release of the prisoner was granted for a period of forty-eight hours. It is not improbable that the government will appeal the case.

OF INTEREST TO SEAMEN.
A ruling on a case in which seamen were a good deal interested was made by Judge Wellborn in an opinion

handed down yesterday in the case of John Bradley and others (libellants) vs. the barkentine J. M. Griffith (defendant), an action in admiralty.

The libellants were seamen who engaged for a voyage "from the port of San Francisco to Port Hadlock, and thence to Sag Francisco for final discharge, either direct or via one or more ports of the Pacific Coast."

The vessel sailed from San Francisco to Port Hadlock, and from there to the port of San Pedro. The vessel's cargo was discharged, and the libellants, without the consent of the master of the vessel, abandoned it when the same was ready and about to sail for Port Hadlock. The libellants contend that by going to San Pedro the vessel deviated from the course of the voyage designated in the shipping articles, and further that the voyage so designated did not include a return or second voyage to Port Hadlock, and that this deviation and proposed return to Port Hadlock were such breaches of the shipping articles by the master of the vessel as justified libellants in leaving the same at San Pedro, and that, therefore, they were entitled to recover their wages up to the time they left, at the rate specified in said articles. The defendant insisted that the libellants, by abandoning the vessel at San Pedro under the circumstances named, were guilty of desertion, and therefore forfeited their wages.

The opinion holds that the agreement, above in part quoted, that the voyage should be from San Francisco to Port Hadlock and thence to San Francisco for final discharge, "either direct or via one or more ports of the Pacific Coast," cannot be interpreted to mean that the voyage could be extended outside of points between San Francisco and Port Hadlock, else the vessel might, under the contract, be sailed to the furthest point of the South American Coast, and the contention still be made that it was a part of the voyage.

Judgment was entered in favor of the libellants, which will have the effect of allowing the seamen their wages for the time of service.

The term admiralty, as used in the case, those who are unfamiliar with legal terms will understand, applies to the function assumed by the court in sitting on a case of this kind involving maritime matters. In some countries separate courts are had for that purpose.

TO BE DEPORTED.

Wong Hong and Wong Fong will soon take a trip to China at government expense. They were committed to land in this country some time ago on a showing to the effect that they were merchants. They were found working on a ranch, and proceedings for deportation were instituted against them. Judge Wellborn yesterday handed down an opinion in which he holds that they are unlawfully in the country. He orders that they be deported from San Francisco, but a stay of execution for a period of ten days is granted.

M'GEE'S BAD BREAK.

Abused His Wife and Smashed the Clock and Thermometer.
Thomas McGee of East Los Angeles told Judge Owens yesterday why he hit his wife on the nose, spat in her face and smashed the family clock and thermometer.

He said she spat in his face first and scolded him in a loud and boisterous voice. He broke the clock because she would not get his breakfast early enough for him, and he smashed the thermometer because Mrs. McGee always found fault with the climate here and wished she was back in Brooklyn, where she could write in newspapers up to her waist. He thought by getting rid of the clock and the thermometer his wife could not fuss any more about the time and the state of the weather. Thomas admitted that he had imbibed a little tanglefoot before he started in to discipline his better half and demolish the furniture. He also confessed that he had been in the house of correction twice, once for doing physical violence to his wife; he could not remember what he served the other term for. Mrs. McGee, her pretty daughter and dutiful son testified to McGee's bad behavior last Friday and made him out anything but an amiable husband and father. The court believed their story and discredited McGee's ingenious explanation of the occurrence. So he was committed to the county jail for disturbing the peace, and set sentence for today at 10 a.m.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Election of Officers and a Paper on Historical Fragments.

The Historical Society of Southern California held its regular annual meeting in Police Judge Morrison's courtroom and elected directors for the ensuing year as follows, last evening: F. J. Polley of Pasadena, Mrs. M. Burton Williamson, W. E. Vroman of Pasadena, J. M. Guinn, E. Baxter, H. D. Barrow and Father Joachim Adam. At the conclusion of the election the annual meeting adjourned, and the society immediately convened in regular monthly session. E. Baxter presided. In addition to the routine business, an interesting paper on "Fragments of Local History" was read by secretary J. M. Guinn.

A New Orphan Asylum.

The Times is requested to publish the following: "At a recent meeting of the several councils of the Woman's A.P.A., a committee was appointed and steps are now being taken to establish an orphan's home, where children can be cared for without being forced to attend the religious services of any particular church. The committee has several friends who are caring for now, and they need donations of boys' and girls' clothing. Friends desiring to assist the W.A.P.A. in this movement can send bundles to No. 416 E. Pico and No. 620 South Sichel street, East Los Angeles."

Concluding, the opinion says: "Recognizing and applying the principle enunciated in the foregoing extracts from the United States vs. Throckmorton, supra, I cannot do otherwise than hold that no such fraud has been shown in the present case as invalidates the judgment of the Oregon court. Whether that court was misled by false testimony, or erred in its conclusions of law, are questions not here open to inquiry. It is to be presumed, in favor of its judgment, that the evidence required by law, as to the right of the defendant to come into the United States was adduced upon the hearing. That judgment cannot be collaterally assailed in this proceeding, and must be held to establish the lawfulness of the defendant's residence in the United States. The judgment and order of the court are reversed, and the defendant discharged."

A stay of execution of the order for the release of the prisoner was granted for a period of forty-eight hours. It is not improbable that the government will appeal the case.

OF INTEREST TO SEAMEN.
A ruling on a case in which seamen were a good deal interested was made by Judge Wellborn in an opinion

DEWEY'S DEMENTIA.

An Insane Man Stood Officers On With a Gun.

George N. Dewey, a photographer whose mind has been unbalanced for a long while, was yesterday committed to the asylum at Highland by Judge McKinley. Dewey's insanity took the form of a hallucination that he was possessed of great wealth, and that he had great enterprises under development. About two years ago he was sent to the asylum at Stockton, but was afterwards released, as having been cured. He seemed quite rational after his return, but his mind never recovered its former brightness. Lately his dementia became more acute, and when taken into custody yesterday morning he showed symptoms of becoming violent. He had got hold of a revolver, with which to defend himself against imaginary enemies. His wife managed to get the weapon away from him, and sent for the police. Before the officers arrived, Dewey had fortified himself in a room of his house at Maple avenue and Twenty-first street, and with a double-barreled shotgun, cocked and primed, was ready to fight for life and liberty. The officers saw that they had a dangerous customer to deal with. A direct assault might mean the death of one or several of them, so it was decided to try to dislodge the madman by strategy. Mrs. Dewey put herself in the breach, and by so herself succeeded in persuading her husband to give her the gun. He was then taken charge of by Officers Benedict and Blackburn, and taken to the County Jail, and afterwards to the Superior Court, where he was adjudged insane and sentenced to Highland. Mr. Dewey's dementia was originally brought on by overwork and too close application to business. He was a man of more than average intelligence, and of good standing in the business community.

His Burns Proved Fatal.

Jack Riley, alias Welch, the man who was so badly burned by fire from an oil stove on East First street, Saturday evening, died from his injuries at the County Hospital Monday afternoon. The body was taken charge of by Keegan & Bros., who were then taken charge of by Officers Benedict and Blackburn, and taken to the County Jail, and afterwards to the Superior Court, where he was adjudged insane and sentenced to Highland. Mr. Dewey's dementia was originally brought on by overwork and too close application to business. He was a man of more than average intelligence, and of good standing in the business community.

Another Case for the Coroner.

Coroner Campbell received word by telephone yesterday evening from San Gabriel that there was a subject there for him to hold an inquest upon. He did not learn the particulars, but thought it was the body of a man who was killed in the mountains. The Coroner will go to San Gabriel today to investigate.

DISTRESSING DISEASES OF THE SKIN.

Instantly Relieved and Speedily Cured by CUTICURA.

STANDS ALONE. STRONGEST FRESHEST

10,000 Armenians Slaughtered—Nothing to stop it—10,000 men slaughtered by drink—The Keeley Treatment to stop it.

The English and German Specialists, 123 Bul Iding, Los Angeles, Cal.

Good, pure unadulterated Cocoa is the best known tonic for the weak. It makes blood and bone and sinew, and renews impaired vigor. To be effective it must be fresh and strong, and absolutely free from chemical treatment.

Ghirardelli's COCOA WHEN YOU ASK FOR IT INSIST UNTIL YOU GET IT

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

Our Main and Third Sts., over Wells-Fargo & Co. Private side entrance on Third Street.

Hamilton Bros.' Sale Is a success. Come and see us at 239 S. Spring St.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

Our Main and Third Sts., over Wells-Fargo & Co. Private side entrance on Third Street.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

FIGHTING DEATH.

An Occupation that Everybody Should be Engaged in all the Time.

Few people realize how much we can do in warding off that grim monster, death. Our days are not "numbered"—we cannot determine the number ourselves, but we can add or subtract from it. We are continually though unconsciously doing things that shorten our life by hours—days—years.

We work too long, too hard; we eat food unsuited to us, too much or not enough; we overstrain certain muscles, limbs, senses or faculties, while others remain unused and undeveloped; we expose ourselves to excessive heat or cold; to impure air; we squander our vitality.

True, with most people these things are the necessary consequences of the struggle for existence. It is to the millions who cannot continually think of their health that this is addressed; it is to them that *Peruvian Bitters* is recommended. With these *Peruvian Bitters* is to the body what oil is to machinery; it keeps the entire system so toned that it works with the least possible friction and waste of vitality, with greatest power of resistance to the germs of disease. *Peruvian Bitters* is an infallible tonic, which, when vitality has been reduced by poor digestion, overwork, sickness, trouble—puts the various functions in such normal condition that nature, unhampered, soon restores wasted tissues, vigor and energy. *MACC & CO., San Francisco.* All druggists and dealers.

4100 ACRES OF THE McMan Estate, Located in Solano and Yolo counties. This magnificent property is now selling at \$87.50 PER ACRE.

In sizes to suit the requirements of the different purchasers, from ten acres up; from an oil stove on East First street, Saturday evening, died from his injuries at the County Hospital Monday afternoon. The body was taken charge of by Keegan & Bros., who were then taken charge of by Officers Benedict and Blackburn, and taken to the County Jail, and afterwards to the Superior Court, where he was adjudged insane and sentenced to Highland. Mr. Dewey's dementia was originally brought on by overwork and too close application to business. He was a man of more than average intelligence, and of good standing in the business community.

BOVEE, TOY & CO., Sole Agents No. 19 Montgomery St., San Francisco.

Another Case for the Coroner. Coroner Campbell received word by telephone yesterday evening from San Gabriel that there was a subject there for him to hold an inquest upon. He did not learn the particulars, but thought it was the body of a man who was killed in the mountains. The Coroner will go to San Gabriel today to investigate.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

Our Main and Third Sts., over Wells-Fargo & Co. Private side entrance on Third Street.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

Our Main and Third Sts., over Wells-Fargo & Co. Private side entrance on Third Street.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

Our Main and Third Sts., over Wells-Fargo & Co. Private side entrance on Third Street.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

Our Main and Third Sts., over Wells-Fargo & Co. Private side entrance on Third Street.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

DISEASES OF MEN EXCLUSIVELY.

WE ARE WILLING TO WAIT FOR OUR FEE UNTIL CURE IS EFFECTED.

We will send free, accurately sealed, a little book explaining our methods. We have the largest practice on the Pacific Coast, treating weaknesses and diseases of Men and Women.

Our Main and Third Sts., over Wells-Fargo & Co. Private side entrance on Third Street.

DR. TALCOTT & CO. The Only Doctors in Southern California Treating Every Form of Weakness

NEXT!

NEXT!

Is Christmas...

THE GREATEST DAY OF ALL THE YEAR.....

We Have Made Great Preparations For It.....

Car-loads, Wagon-loads, and Cart-loads of Toys, for the girls and boys which we shall offer at lower prices than you have ever seen this side of the Rockies. Everything in all departments marked way down for this week.

Dress Goods Dept.

Nice Black Dress Pattern for.....\$2.00
All-wool Dress Goods, extra trade, per yard only......25
Novelty all-wool Dress Goods, worth 60c a yard; per yard only......42
\$9.00 Dress Pattern, very stylish, only.....6.00

Linen Department.

35c Red Damask for......25
60c Half-bleached Damask, only......40
2 large Linen Towels for......25
Linen Napkins, extra quality, worth 1.00;......75

Drapery Department.

Lace Curtains, per pair......59
Lace Curtains, per pair......1.00
Lace Curtains, extra quality, per pair......1.25
Lace Curtains, worth \$2.75, only......1.50
Chenille Portieres, per pair......1.90
Chenille Portieres, per pair......3.25
\$1.25 Moquette Rugs for......1.00
\$3.50 Moquette Rugs for......2.50
\$12.00 Jap. Rugs for......9.00

Gents' Furnishings.

50c Neckties for......20
20c Collars for......11
20c Cuffs for......12 1/2
\$1.50 Suit Underwear for......85
\$1.75 Suit Underwear for......1.00
\$2.50 Suit Underwear for......1.90

Sundries.

Best Thread, per spool......03
Pins, per paper......01
Clothes Pins, per dozen......35
Royal Baking Powder, per pound......30
Roast Java and Mocha Coffee......30
Three pounds Cartoon Crackers......15

BROADWAY DEPARTMENT STORE,

401-403 SOUTH BROADWAY, Corner Fourth.

J. A. WILLIAMS & CO., Proprs.

BARNES & CO.,

251 South Broadway.

Los Angeles Ladies...

Were not backward in making themselves acquainted with the new store, and express themselves greatly pleased with our new goods, which are new and choice. Pleased, too, with the very reasonable prices. Laces, while goods, gloves of the best makes—a beautiful line of fans; pretty dolls by the hundreds.

BARNES & CO.

CALIFORNIA NEWS

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

Hobos are Numerous and Impudent. Bold Highwaymen.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—(Regular Correspondence.) Hobos are arriving daily. On Sunday one of the scoundrels threw his arms about T. H. Nicolson, while a second hobo struck the defenseless man on the head and stunned him. These savage tramps then rifled the pockets of their victim, stealing \$11 in cash. The highwaymen were pursued, but escaped. This murderous-minded robbery occurred at Fourth and C streets. The hobo who stole a watch on Saturday is in jail awaiting trial. An encampment of hobos has been discovered at the foot of Ivy street, where the loafers spend their time drinking beer. The authorities contemplate appointing special policemen to protect the city against the swarms of tramps. The efforts of certain careful people to have the hobos tediously cared for by the city have been frustrated by the tramps here in increasing numbers. Chief of Police Brenning, if given proper assistance, will doubtless make the city a safe place for vagrants and unlawful characters.

Memorial services were held by the pillars of the Methodist church on Sunday night. Dr. Gochenauer delivered a eulogy in memory of Douglas Gunn, Charles F. Hume and Stuart Kennedy. The choir, under the leadership of Walter S. Young rendered appropriate music.

The barkentine Northwest arrives with lumber from Port Hadlock.

"The Evening Tribune," a four-page, independent paper makes its bow to the public on Monday. It prints Associated Press dispatches. The price of this new evening daily is 25 cents a month.

Capt. W. R. Malze, Wheeler J. Bailey, Dr. Carson, Cashier Fishburn, George Leary and others secured a large bag of ducks at Lakeside on Sunday. The shooting at that resort is of exceptional excellence.

Five wildcats were killed at Alpine during the week.

Talk about extending the Pacific beach road to Ramona continues. Officers of the road are enthusiastic about the people of the back country on the subject. Public meetings are to be held to discuss the matter.

Jesus Grant has returned from Arizona, where he is interested in large mining deals.

Beatrice Harraden, the authoress, will soon be here for the winter.

J. B. Runk is raising fine apples successfully on his ranch at La Mesa.

WATER AND MR. BABCOCK.

It appears that an error was made by the Times in a recent report of the proffer of the Southern California Mountain View Water Company's plan to the city of San Diego. The report said that the proposition was to sell the plant to San Diego for \$200,000, but at an official of the company says that it was the intention to give the property to the city, and not to sell it. This is quite another matter. The figure quoted in the article represented the amount that is claimed to have been expended by the company on the plant.

Ed. S. Babcock denounces as untrue the published inference that he had something to do with the \$1000 loan to the city. He declares that the loan was made by the city and that the money was used for the purpose of the city's water supply.

William Kelly, Republican candidate for Sheriff two years ago. The result of the election was a surprise to the clerkship came as a surprise to the clerkship, and those with whom he had business connections, expected the vote would give him a majority of over 125.

The Library Trustees were elected without contest. J. B. Wagner being added to the board of the insertion in lead-pencil of his name.

TAX FIGURES.

County Tax Collector A. J. Bell is busily engaged cleaning up the odds and ends after one of the busiest seasons on record. His department. The final balance-sheet will show some interesting figures, as they bear eloquent witness to the material prosperity of the taxpayers of this county. The total amount of taxes charged up to the collector is \$180,841.06. This includes State and county, and special school and road taxes. The amount due for the first half of the year is \$100,000. The collector states that much to his surprise, many taxpayers did not avail themselves of the opportunity of withholding half of the tax money, but paid in full, which accounts for the fact that he has now in the treasury \$180,841.06, or \$80,841.06 in excess of the \$100,000 due as one-half of the taxes. The largest check given in was for \$240.23 by William Collins's bank. The second largest was for \$208.15 by J. Levy of Huemene. The third was for \$403.37 by the San Francisco Savings Union. This is considered a remarkable showing by those competent to judge.

CROP QUOTATIONS.

The last crop bulletin issued at Huemene on Saturday furnished the following information as to current prices of produce:

Beans, lima, 2.25@2.35; in good demand. The corner made in the East in November to bear prices to \$2.10 has been sold, owing to the fact that the farmers to sell below their local prices.

Lady Washington, 1.25; with few transactions; small white, and pea beans, 1.40@1.60; pink, 1.25; according to grade; steady market; good demand.

Wool, fall clip, 2.25@2.35; spring clip, 3.00@3.10; market very dull.

Barley, No. 1, 50@51; No. 2, 48@49; No. 3, 46@47; No. 4, 44@45; No. 5, 42@43; No. 6, 40@41; No. 7, 38@39; No. 8, 36@37; No. 9, 34@35; No. 10, 32@33; No. 11, 30@31; No. 12, 28@29; No. 13, 26@27; No. 14, 24@25; No. 15, 22@23; No. 16, 20@21; No. 17, 18@19; No. 18, 16@17; No. 19, 14@15; No. 20, 12@13; No. 21, 10@11; No. 22, 8@9; No. 23, 6@7; No. 24, 4@5; No. 25, 2@3; No. 26, 1@2; No. 27, 1/2@1; No. 28, 1/4@1/2; No. 29, 1/8@1/4; No. 30, 1/16@1/8; No. 31, 1/32@1/16; No. 32, 1/64@1/32; No. 33, 1/128@1/64; No. 34, 1/256@1/128; No. 35, 1/512@1/256; No. 36, 1/1024@1/512; No. 37, 1/2048@1/1024; No. 38, 1/4096@1/2048; No. 39, 1/8192@1/4096; No. 40, 1/16384@1/8192; No. 41, 1/32768@1/16384; No. 42, 1/65536@1/32768; No. 43, 1/131072@1/65536; No. 44, 1/262144@1/131072; No. 45, 1/524288@1/262144; No. 46, 1/1048576@1/524288; No. 47, 1/2097152@1/1048576; No. 48, 1/4194304@1/2097152; No. 49, 1/8388608@1/4194304; No. 50, 1/16777216@1/8388608; No. 51, 1/33554432@1/16777216; No. 52, 1/67108864@1/33554432; No. 53, 1/134217728@1/67108864; No. 54, 1/268435456@1/134217728; No. 55, 1/536870912@1/268435456; No. 56, 1/1073741824@1/536870912; No. 57, 1/2147483648@1/1073741824; No. 58, 1/4294967296@1/2147483648; No. 59, 1/8589934592@1/4294967296; No. 60, 1/17179869184@1/8589934592; No. 61, 1/34359738368@1/17179869184; No. 62, 1/68719476736@1/34359738368; No. 63, 1/137438953472@1/68719476736; No. 64, 1/274877907536@1/137438953472; No. 65, 1/549755815072@1/274877907536; No. 66, 1/1099511630144@1/549755815072; No. 67, 1/2199023260288@1/1099511630144; No. 68, 1/4398046520576@1/2199023260288; No. 69, 1/8796093041152@1/4398046520576; No. 70, 1/17592186082304@1/8796093041152; No. 71, 1/35184372164608@1/17592186082304; No. 72, 1/70368744329216@1/35184372164608; No. 73, 1/140737488658432@1/70368744329216; No. 74, 1/281474977316864@1/140737488658432; No. 75, 1/562949954633728@1/281474977316864; No. 76, 1/1125899909267456@1/562949954633728; No. 77, 1/2251799818534912@1/1125899909267456; No. 78, 1/4503599637069824@1/2251799818534912; No. 79, 1/9007199274139648@1/4503599637069824; No. 80, 1/18014398548279296@1/9007199274139648; No. 81, 1/36028797096558592@1/18014398548279296; No. 82, 1/72057594193117184@1/36028797096558592; No. 83, 1/144115188386234368@1/72057594193117184; No. 84, 1/288230376772468736@1/144115188386234368; No. 85, 1/576460753544937472@1/288230376772468736; No. 86, 1/1152921507089874944@1/576460753544937472; No. 87, 1/2305843014179749888@1/1152921507089874944; No. 88, 1/4611686028359499776@1/2305843014179749888; No. 89, 1/9223372056718999552@1/4611686028359499776; No. 90, 1/18446744113437999104@1/9223372056718999552; No. 91, 1/36893488226875998208@1/18446744113437999104; No. 92, 1/73786976453751996416@1/36893488226875998208; No. 93, 1/147573952907503992832@1/73786976453751996416; No. 94, 1/295147905815007985664@1/147573952907503992832; No. 95, 1/590295811630015971328@1/295147905815007985664; No. 96, 1/1180591623260031942656@1/590295811630015971328; No. 97, 1/2361183246520063885312@1/1180591623260031942656; No. 98, 1/4722366493040127770624@1/2361183246520063885312; No. 99, 1/9444732986080255541248@1/4722366493040127770624; No. 100, 1/18889465972160511082496@1/9444732986080255541248; No. 101, 1/37778931944321022164992@1/18889465972160511082496; No. 102, 1/75557863888642044329984@1/37778931944321022164992; No. 103, 1/151115727777284088659968@1/75557863888642044329984; No. 104, 1/302231455554568177319936@1/151115727777284088659968; No. 105, 1/604462911109136354639872@1/302231455554568177319936; No. 106, 1/1208925822218272709279744@1/604462911109136354639872; No. 107, 1/2417851644436545418559488@1/1208925822218272709279744; No. 108, 1/4835703288873090837118976@1/2417851644436545418559488; No. 109, 1/9671406577746181674237952@1/4835703288873090837118976; No. 110, 1/1934281315549236334847504@1/9671406577746181674237952; No. 111, 1/3868562631098472669695008@1/1934281315549236334847504; No. 112, 1/7737125262196945339390016@1/3868562631098472669695008; No. 113, 1/15474250524393890678780032@1/7737125262196945339390016; No. 114, 1/30948501048787781357560064@1/15474250524393890678780032; No. 115, 1/61897002097575562715120128@1/30948501048787781357560064; No. 116, 1/123794004195151125430240256@1/61897002097575562715120128; No. 117, 1/247588008390302250860480512@1/123794004195151125430240256; No. 118, 1/495176016780604501720961024@1/247588008390302250860480512; No. 119, 1/990352033561209003441922048@1/495176016780604501720961024; No. 120, 1/1980704067122418066883844096@1/990352033561209003441922048; No. 121, 1/3961408134244836133767688192@1/1980704067122418066883844096; No. 122, 1/7922816268489672267535376384@1/3961408134244836133767688192; No. 123, 1/15845632536979344535070752768@1/7922816268489672267535376384; No. 124, 1/31691265073958689070141505536@1/15845632536979344535070752768; No. 125, 1/63382530147917378140283011072@1/31691265073958689070141505536; No. 126, 1/126765060295834756280566022144@1/63382530147917378140283011072; No. 127, 1/253530120591669512561132044288@1/126765060295834756280566022144; No. 128, 1/507060241183339025122264088576@1/253530120591669512561132044288; No. 129, 1/1014120482366678050244528177152@1/507060241183339025122264088576; No. 130, 1/2028240964733356100489056354304@1/1014120482366678050244528177152; No. 131, 1/4056481929466712200978112708608@1/2028240964733356100489056354304; No. 132, 1/8112963858933424401956225417216@1/4056481929466712200978112708608; No. 133, 1/16225927717866848803912450834432@1/8112963858933424401956225417216; No. 134, 1/32451855435733697607824901668864@1/16225927717866848803912450834432; No. 135, 1/64903710871467395215649803337728@1/32451855435733697607824901668864; No. 136, 1/129807421742934790431299606675456@1/64903710871467395215649803337728; No. 137, 1/259614843485869580862599213350912@1/129807421742934790431299606675456; No. 138, 1/519229686971739161725198426701824@1/259614843485869580862599213350912; No. 139, 1/1038459373943478323450396853403648@1/519229686971739161725198426701824; No. 140, 1/2076918747886956646900793706807296@1/1038459373943478323450396853403648; No. 141, 1/4153837495773913293801587413614592@1/2076918747886956646900793706807296; No. 142, 1/8307674991547826587603174827229184@1/4153837495773913293801587413614592; No. 143, 1/1661534998309565317520634964458368@1/8307674991547826587603174827229184; No. 144, 1/3323069996619130635041269928916736@1/1661534998309565317520634964458368; No. 145, 1/6646139993238261270082539857833472@1/3323069996619130635041269928916736; No. 146, 1/1329227998647652254016507915666944@1/6646139993238261270082539857833472; No. 147, 1/2658455997295304508033015831333888@1/1329227998647652254016507915666944; No. 148, 1/5316911994590609016066031662667776@1/2658455997295304508033015831333888; No. 149, 1/10633823989181218032132063325335552@1/5316911994590609016066031662667776; No. 150, 1/21267647978362436064264126650671104@1/10633823989181218032132063325335552; No. 151, 1/42535295956724872128528253301342208@1/21267647978362436064264126650671104; No. 152, 1/85070591913449744257056506602684416@1/42535295956724872128528253301342208; No. 153, 1/170141183826899488514113013205368832@1/85070591913449744257056506602684416; No. 154, 1/340282367653798977028226026410737664@1/170141183826899488514113013205368832; No. 155, 1/680564735307597954056452052821475328@1/340282367653798977028226026410737664; No. 156, 1/1361129470615195908112904105642950656@1/680564735307597954056452052821475328; No. 157, 1/2722258941230391816225808211285801312@1/1361129470615195908112904105642950656; No. 158, 1/5444517882460783632451616422571602624@1/2722258941230391816225808211285801312; No. 159, 1/10889035764921567264903232845143205248@1/5444517882460783632451616422571602624; No. 160, 1/21778071529843134529806465690286410496@1/10889035764921567264903232845143205248; No. 161, 1/43556143059686269059612931380572820992@1/21778071529843134529806465690286410496; No. 162, 1/87112286119372538119225862761145641984@1/43556143059686269059612931380572820992; No. 163, 1/174224572397550076238451725522291283968@1/87112286119372538119225862761145641984; No. 164, 1/348449144795100152476903451044582567936@1/174224572397550076238451725522291283968; No. 165, 1/696898289590200304953806902089165135872@1/348449144795100152476903451044582567936; No. 166, 1/1393796579180400609907613841782330271744@1/696898289590200304953806902089165135872; No. 167, 1/2787593158360801219815227683564660543488@1/1393796579180400609907613841782330271744; No. 168, 1/5575186316721602439630455367129321086976@1/2787593158360801219815227683564660543488; No. 169, 1/11150372633443204879260910734258642173952@1/5575186316721602439630455367129321086976; No. 170, 1/22300745266886409758521821468517284347904@1/11150372633443204879260910734258642173952; No. 171, 1/44601490533772819517043642937034568695808@1/22300745266886409758521821468517284347904; No. 172, 1/89202981067545639034087285874069137391616@1/44601490533772819517043642937034568695808; No. 173, 1/178405962135091278068174571748138274783232@1/89202981067545639034087285874069137391616; No. 174, 1/356811924270182556136349143496276549566464@1/178405962135091278068174571748138274783232; No. 175, 1/713623848540365112272698286992553099132928@1/356811924270182556136349143496276549566464; No. 176, 1/1427247697080730224545396573985106198265856@1/713623848540365112272698286992553099132928; No. 177, 1/2854495394161460449090793147970212396531712@1/1427247697080730224545396573985106198265856; No. 178, 1/5708990788322920898181586295940424793063424@1/2854495394161460449090793147970212396531712; No. 179, 1/11417981576645841796363172591880849586126848@1/5708990788322920898181586295940424793063424; No. 180, 1/22835963153291683592726345183761699172537696@1/11417981576645841796363172591880849586126848; No. 181, 1/45671926306583367185452690367523398344707392@1/22835963153291683592726345183761699172537696; No. 182, 1/91343852613166734370905380735046796689414784@1/45671926306583367185452690367523398344707392; No. 183, 1/182687705226333468411810761500934753778829568@1/91343852613166734370905380735046796689414784; No. 184, 1/365375410452666936823621523001869507557659136@1/182687705226333468411810761500934753778829568; No. 185, 1/730750820905333873647243046003739015115318272@1/365375410452666936823621523001869507557659136; No. 186, 1/146150164181066774729448609200758030222636544@1/730750820905333873647243046003739015115318272; No. 187, 1/292300328362133549458897218401516060445273088@1/146150164181066774729448609200758030222636544; No. 188, 1/584600656724267098917794436803032120890546176@1/292300328362133549458897218401516060445273088; No. 189, 1/11692013

